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Via ECF and Email
Honorable Ronnie Abrams
United States District Court
Southern District of New York
500 Pearl Street
New York, New York 10007

**Re: United States v. Joseph Jean-Louis
19 Cr. 858 (RA)**

Application granted. A conference is
scheduled for February 22, 2021 at 9:00
a.m.

SO ORDERED.



Ronnie Abrams, U.S.D.J.
February 5, 2021

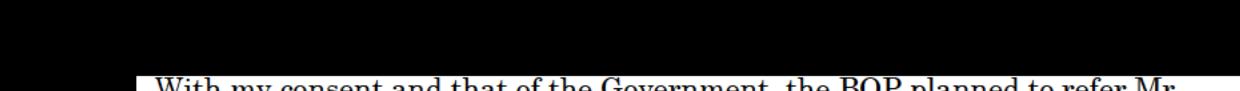
Dear Judge Abrams:

I write, pursuant to the Court's Order of December 11, 2020, directing the parties to update the Court no later than February 11, 2021 on the status of Mr. Jean-Louis' mental health, his expected transfer to a federal medical center and his readiness to appear before the Court for an arraignment and conference on the violation of supervised release in the above captioned matter.¹

Despite apparent efforts by the Bureau of Prisons to effectuate Mr. Jean-Louis transfer, he remains at the MCC.



¹ On November 9, 2020, the Court held a video conference to arraign Mr. Jean-Louis on the specifications contained in a violation of supervised release report. During that conference, Mr. Jean-Louis appeared unsettled and, on two occasions, attempted to leave the video conference room. The Court concluded the conference and requested that counsel confer with Mr. Jean-Louis and determine when the matter could be rescheduled. On December 11, 2020, the parties filed a joint letter with the Court informing the Court



With my consent and that of the Government, the BOP planned to refer Mr. Jean-Louis to a federal medical center where he could be properly treated and stabilized. We expected that Mr. Jean-Louis would be transferred in short order.

On February 4, 2021, I spoke by telephone with Mr. Jean-Louis.

Therefore, I respectfully request that the Court schedule an arraignment and conference consistent with the Court's availability. The Government has no objection to this request. Mr. Jean-Louis waives his right to appear in person and consents to proceed by teleconference or videoconference.

Respectfully submitted,

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